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# **COMMITTEE ACTION REPORT**

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# **COMMITTEE ACTION REPORT**

The following is a list of bills acted upon by committee during the period 05/04/2015 to 05/08/2015:

## Aging

Substitute for S.B. No. 896 (RAISED) (File No. 294) AN ACT CONCERNING PROTECTIVE SERVICES FOR SUSPECTED ELDERLY ABUSE VICTIMS.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

# **Appropriations**

H.B. No. 6276 (COMM) (File No. 461) AN ACT CONCERNING TRAINING IN YOUTH SUICIDE PREVENTION.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

# **Banking**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### Commerce

No Committee Actions Reported.

# **Committee on Children**

No Committee Actions Reported.

## Education

No Committee Actions Reported.

# **Energy and Technology**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### **Environment**

Substitute for S.B. No. 186 (COMM) (File Nos. 485 and 757) AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF A MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE REGULATING THE OPERATION OR USE OF A DIRT BIKE OR ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE AND ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE POLICY AND PROCEDURES.

05/07/2015 Joint Favorable Substitute

#### **Executive and Legislative Nominations**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### Finance, Revenue and Bonding

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### General Law

H.B. No. 6820 (RAISED) (File No. 370) AN ACT CONCERNING PROVISIONS OF THE FRANCHISE ACT GOVERNING AGREEMENTS BETWEEN AUTOMOBILE MANUFACTURERS OR DISTRIBUTORS AND AUTOMOBILE DEALERS.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

#### **Government Administration and Elections**

Substitute for S.B. No. 830 (COMM) (File No. 255) AN ACT CONCERNING A SURETY BOND GUARANTEE PROGRAM FOR MINORITY-OWNED BUSINESSES.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 831 (COMM) (File No. 701) AN ACT ELIMINATING THE MUNICIPAL EXEMPTION FROM THE CONTRACT COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS IN STATE CONTRACTS.

05/07/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 925 (RAISED) (File No. 71) AN ACT ESTABLISHING A HOME VISITATION PROGRAM CONSORTIUM. (As amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A").

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1114 (RAISED) (File No. 742) AN ACT CONCERNING THE COMMISSION ON RACIAL AND ETHNIC DISPARITY IN THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

#### **Higher Education and Employment Advancement**

Substitute for H.B. No. 6877 (RAISED) (File No. 381) AN ACT CONCERNING A MINIMUM WORK WEEK FOR PERSONS PERFORMING JANITORIAL WORK.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 445 (COMM) (File No. 253) AN ACT CONCERNING A PLAN FOR THE CONNECTICORPS PROGRAM.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

## Housing

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### **Human Services**

S.B. No. 1030 (RAISED) (File No. 711) AN ACT IMPLEMENTING RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE TASK FORCE TO STUDY METHODS FOR IMPROVING THE COLLECTION OF PAST DUE CHILD SUPPORT.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

#### **Insurance and Real Estate**

Substitute for S.B. No. 913 (RAISED) (File No. 338) AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH CARE DATA REPORTING AND THE ENROLLMENT OF NONSTATE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES IN THE STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH PLAN.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

## Joint Committee on Legislative Management

No Committee Actions Reported.

# Judiciary

Substitute for H.B. No. 6653 (COMM) (File No. 524) AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL NOTICE PROVISIONS, BLIGHT LIENS AND VOTING REQUIREMENTS FOR ESTABLISHING A DISTRICT TO MAINTAIN WATER QUALITY.

**05/05/2015 Joint Favorable** 

Substitute for H.B. No. 6653 (COMM) (File No. 524) AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL NOTICE PROVISIONS, BLIGHT LIENS AND VOTING REQUIREMENTS FOR ESTABLISHING A DISTRICT TO MAINTAIN WATER QUALITY.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

## **Judiciary (Continued)**

Substitute for H.B. No. 6683 (RAISED) (File Nos. 362 and 730) AN ACT REGULATING TRANSPORTATION NETWORK COMPANIES.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6734 (RAISED) (File No. 181) AN ACT CONCERNING SURETY BAIL BOND AGENTS.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

H.B. No. 6850 (File No. 372) AN ACT CONCERNING PAY EQUITY AND FAIRNESS. 05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6955 (RAISED) (File No. 529) AN ACT PROHIBITING THE SALE AND TRADE OF IVORY AND RHINOCEROS HORN.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6973 (RAISED) (File No. 392) AN ACT ADOPTING THE UNIFORM INTERSTATE FAMILY SUPPORT ACT OF 2008.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

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05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 290 (COMM) (File No. 194) AN ACT CONCERNING PATIENT-DESIGNATED CAREGIVERS. (As amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A").

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 566 (COMM) (File No. 607) AN ACT CONCERNING A PERMISSIBLE TIME PERIOD OF VALIDITY FOR CERTIFICATES OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR ELECTRIC GENERATING FACILITIES.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

S.B. No. 566 (COMM) (File No. 607) AN ACT CONCERNING A PERMISSIBLE TIME PERIOD OF VALIDITY FOR CERTIFICATES OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR ELECTRIC GENERATING FACILITIES.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 998 (RAISED) (File No. 495) AN ACT CONCERNING PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.

05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 1005 (RAISED) (File No. 201) AN ACT PROTECTING ELDERLY CONSUMERS FROM EXPLOITATION AND ADOPTING THE CONNECTICUT UNIFORM POWER OF ATTORNEY ACT.

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05/05/2015 Joint Favorable

# **Labor and Public Employees**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### **Planning and Development**

H.B. No. 6776 (RAISED) (File No. 186) AN ACT CONCERNING JUST CAUSE DISMISSALS FOR MUNICIPAL FIRE CHIEFS.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for H.B. No. 6956 (RAISED) (File No. 530) AN ACT CONCERNING A SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY RATING SYSTEM.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

Substitute for S.B. No. 116 (COMM) (File No. 145) AN ACT INCREASING PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS FOR DISABLED VETERANS AND MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

## **Program Review and Investigations**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### **Public Health**

Substitute for H.B. No. 6759 (RAISED) (File No. 232) AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF LANDLORDS AND TENANTS REGARDING THE TREATMENT OF BED BUG INFESTATIONS.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable

# **Public Safety and Security**

No Committee Actions Reported.

#### **Regulation Review**

No Committee Actions Reported.

## **Transportation**

No Committee Actions Reported.

# Veterans' Affairs

H.B. No. 6952 (RAISED) (File No. 422) AN ACT PROHIBITING CERTAIN LIFE INSURANCE POLICY EXCLUSIONS FOR ACTIVE MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES AND THE NATIONAL GUARD.

05/06/2015 Joint Favorable